

Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1. (Cancelled)
2. (Previously Presented) An apparatus as claimed in claim 6 wherein said digitally encoded data is encoded in a fault tolerant digital form using a Reed-Solomon process and said means for processing and decoding said data includes means for processing said Reed-Solomon process.
3. (Previously Presented) An apparatus as claimed in claim 6 wherein said invisible ink is an infra-red absorbing ink, and wherein said invisible radiation is infra-red light.
4. (Currently Amended) An apparatus as claimed in claim 6 wherein said ink jet printer means includes means for printing out on a print media attached to said ink jet printer means both the visible image depicted in the photograph and the digitally encoded data, ~~said digitally encoded data being printed in invisible ink in an encoded form., said image and image data being derived from said decoded data.~~
5. (Previously Presented) An apparatus as claimed in claim 4 wherein said digitally encoded data is encoded in a fault tolerant digital form using a Reed-Solomon process and said means for processing data output from the scanner means includes means for processing said Reed-Solomon process.
6. (Currently Amended) An apparatus for reproducing ~~an~~ a visible image depicted in a photograph, the photograph also carrying digitally encoded data printed in invisible ink, the apparatus comprising:
 - a scanner means for scanning the digital data;
 - means for advancing the photograph through the scanner means;
 - means for illuminating the photograph with invisible radiation;
 - means for processing data output from the scanner means, the means for processing data including means for decoding the digitally encoded data scanned by the scanner means;
 - and,

inkjet printer means for receiving data from the means for processing data to print the visible image depicted in the photograph; wherein,

the data used to print the visible image is ~~derived from~~generated using the digitally encoded data.